APPENDIX A.

Address read by Mr. Graham Anderson, C. I. E.

To

SIR K. SHESHADRI IYER, K.C.S.I.,
Dewan of Mysore.

YOUR EXCELLENCY,

By special desire of the Committee of this Assembly, I have the distinguished honor to tender on their behalf and my own an expression of profound loyalty and devotion to our beloved Maharajas' Throne and Person, and to convey through your Excellency our most sincere and respectful congratulations on the success which has attended the conscientious efforts of the Government to discharge all duties connected with the sacred trust confided to its care, in a manner which so clearly manifests a steady continuance of the deep solicitude which our Sovereign Ruler has persistently evinced for the welfare of this Province and the happiness and prosperity of its people, and which has always been a characteristic feature of His Highness' Administration.

Ever mindful as we are of the wise and benevolent policy adopted by the Government and of the numerous and inestimable privileges and concessions already granted to the people of Mysore, we have listened with grateful attention to the deeply interesting record of all that has engaged the attentive consideration of the Darbar during the past season, of the progress and results which it has effected, and of its gracious intentions in regard to the future.

We rejoice in the knowledge that, with ever watchful regard for the present and prospective requirements of the country, arrangements are constantly being made, which, working either concurrently with, or in anticipation of, the widespread intellectual and industrial development now steadily proceeding, are calculated effectually to safeguard the best interests of its people and to foster that spirit of reliance and contentment which it is so eminently desirable to cultivate and maintain.

GRAHAM ANDERSON.